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HERE SEPT. 5th

ANNUAL CONFERENCE

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH TO ENTER-

TAIN BIG GATHERING IN

NEW BUILDING.

The annual session of the Western Virginia Conference of the M.E.Church South will be held in Louisa, beginning September 5 and ending the 19. About 175 ministers, delegates and connec-

tional men will be present. Entertain-ment for all but about 20 of these has

aircady been provided by the Louisa people and the others will be arranged for in ample time. The pastor, Rev. Foglesong, expresses himself as gratified at the cheerful and hospitable response made by the people of all-churches here in this matter.

Bishop McCoy will preside. He comes here from the Dilinois conference and

will arrive on Tuesday.

This will be the third time Louisa has

entertained the Western Virginia Con-ference-1853, 1895 and 1917. In 1896 Louisa entertained Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church.

The new church building will be ready for the occasion. The carpenters are near the end of their task and

the decorators are putting on the fin-ishing touches. The Pastor is one of

the busiest men in the community, get-ting the many details worked out. He was the host of the conference two years ago and knows how to handle

this big job. The list of preachers and those who will entertain them will be published next week.

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Aut invenium viam, aut faciam

FIFTY MEN PASS

SECOND CALL IN THIS COUNTY FINDS FIFTY FIT AND CLAIM-ING EXEMPTION.

In the list of 300 men examined on the last call in Lawrence the NEWS finds 50 who passed physically and did not claim exemption. This makes 89 out of the two calls, leaving the county's quota still short 33 men. The local board is now passing upon claims

Fifty Seldiere.
Luther A. Burton, Blaine.
Archie Morris, Cordell.
Ed George, Ulyanes.
Carson Elswick, Estep.
Worth Church, Lowmansville.
Gus Hays, Georges Creek.
Franklin Preston, Patrick.
Lercy—Austin, Ulyanes.
Jnu McClellen Vaughan, Richardson.
Henry H. Higgins Estep.
Riley Shannon, Madge.
Rirk Queen, Glenwood.
Wilhe Syhas Wooten, Gallup.
Chester Frazier, Clifford. Fifty Soldiers. Wilhe Syms Wooten, (salup. Chester Frazier, Clifford. Eskel Adams, Osie. Howard Highberger, Louisa. Carl Heston, Louisa. Carl Heston, Louisa.
Jaa Arthur Kitchen, Orr.
Martin Potter, Zelda.
Arlie Bevins Lowmansville.
Robt. Enyart, Estep.
David Pennington, Ratcliff.
John William Warnick, Richardson
Lon McKiney, Blaine
Russ Cordell.
Cordell. Louis Salver, Orr. Eslie Salver, Rlaine. Creed Hesten, Louisa. John Harlan Blackburn, Louisa, R. 1

Philip Bishop, Hicksville. Bert Higgins, Esiep.
Clyde Bursess, Richardson.
Garfield McDowel Sacredwind.
Charley Stewart, Estep.
B. Daviels, Stidham. Sherman Fennin, Christmas.

Bherman Fennin, Christmas.
Bob Elkins, Yateaville.
Jas. Harvey Moore, Louisa.
Wm. Louis Hatfield, Lowmansville.
Brit Maxie, Maizie.
Mari Robinet, Louisa.
Sylves.er Jobe, Oste.
Lester Judd, Charley.
Richard Adams, Busseyville.
Charley T. Johnson, Blevins.
Prince Hammond, Cliffinalnetalloo
Ben Church, Adeline.
Letter Thos. Petera, Louisa.
Mmit Preston, Patrick.

MOONLIGHT SCHOOL

Mr. Don C Beicher have an interest-ing school which meets four nights evory week. Seventeen have been en-rolled and all are doing good work. A man, his wife and three sons, some of whom are in the call to the army, are The teachers, who are among the

best in Lawrence-co., are enjoying the time spent with their new students and report rapid progress and great inter-est in the school.

Oil Reaches Record Price

The price of crude oil has reached the highest price ever known. In Kentucky the price is \$2.50. The Pennsylvania is \$3.50

The cost of supplies and labor is very high, making the expense of drill-ing about double what is formerly was The price of oil is keeping the work

A well in new territory will be drilled near Wilbur soon, by some people to whom J N. Marcum sold a lot of leams Other companies are being formed to drill in Lawrence. Work is active in Johnson, Martin, Floyd and Magoffin counties.

Wells are peing completed regularly in the developed territory of Lawrence

The J. N. Marcum Oll company nor has three wells on its property at Olympia and two more are being start-Thompson & Fox, of Huntington have three good wells on an adjoining

McDANIEL HILL.

There will be an ice cream festiva at the McDaniel school house Saturday night, September 1, for the benefit of the school. Everybody is invited to come. GRACE DAMRON, Teacher.

RETURN TO LOUISA.

Mrs. Lary Johns Caldwell and chil-dren. Anna Sue and John, returned Wednesday to their home on Lock-av. after spending the sammer with relatives at Marold, Floyd-co.

MISS ROBINSON IMPROVING. The condition of Miss Lillian Robin son, of Paintaville, who is suffering from injuries received by a fall from an automobile, is said to be somewhat an automobile, is said to be somewhat improved. A trained nurse is in charge

MARRIED IN LITTLE ROCK.

A wedding of interest to Louisa rela Holmes Meek and Miss Geraldine Jor dan, which took place last Sunday, August 19, at the home of the bride is Little Rock Ark. Mr. Meek is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Meek, of Little Rock, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. No. D Waldeck, of this city. He is a sundaying for the ministry. His bride any question you like Get off the train at Potter station lives and friends was that of Mr. Jan

WOULD MAKE MUNITIONS OF SEIZED INTOXICANTS.

Huntington, W. Va., August 21. -80 that some practical use may be made of the two sands of gallons of intoxicants which are being confiscated by State prohibition authorities, a proposal has been made that the liquor be redistilied and the reclaimed alcohol used in the manufacture of war munitions. Large quantities of intexicants are daily being confiscated in West Virginia and poured into rivers or sewers

ENLISTED IN REGULAR ARMY.

Two sets of brothers, Norman and Chas. Keiger, of Leadingham, Ellioti county, and Hi and McClay Fraley, of Lick creek, Pike-co., were among those who recently enlisted in Ashland in the regular army. Others were Grover C. Boyd Whitehouse, Wilburn Hall and John T. Meade Louisa; Robert Ballard and Henry Wilbur, Van Lear.

SKULL CRUSHED WITH TOMBSTONE.

Hazard, Ky., August 22. Seven persons, including two women, are in jail here charged with the robbery and murder Saturday night of Jol n Baker, 30 years old. Baker's slayers lay in wait in a cemetery at the edge of town, held him up and robbed him of \$40, cut his throat and beat his head to a pulp with a tombstone. One of the women the first arrested, is said to have told a story which led to the arrest of the story which led to the story which led to the arrest of the story which led to t a story which led to the arrest of five men and another woman.

OLD LINEN IS DONATED. The dining car department of the Thesapeake & Ohio railway has agreed to donate all old linen for use as bandages and surgical dressings for the troops of the allies in Europe.

COAL PRICES REDUCED

KENTUCKY OPERATORS PERMIT TED TO CHARGE \$1.95 AND WEST VA \$2.00 AT MINE.

President Wilson issued a proclama tion fixing the maximum price of coal at which operators may sell at the mouth of the mine. The Kentucky price is \$1.95, and West Virginia \$2.00 The next move will be to fix the profits which retailers may make on coal.

This removes the large profits made by the coal man and will put some of the small operations out of business. Large plants will have a good margin of profit at these figures. There are other features involved in the situa-At Galliup Miss Sallie Geathart and tion which may bring a modification

DONT TURN HIM LOOSE.

Catlettsburg, Ky., August 20.—A man giving the name of W. H. McMillan and who claims to be from Tennessee, was arrested at Lockwood station, 10 miles south of this city, this afternoon. He was equipped, it is alleged, with a number of large sticks of dynamite, a clock and other paraphernalia as :f prepared to execute damage to railroad der 15 years. property or coal mines. rection he is suspected of having been bound. Police here were notified of his presence at Lockwood and hurried to make the arrest. He made desperate efforts to escape. He refuses to explain his actions.

The case will be referred to Federal cative and renders satisfactory expla-nation to the local authorities.

MISS RAMEY RETURNS HOME. Miss Lora Ramey, who has been eaching a music class here for some time, has gone to her home as East Point to rest and recuperate. She expects to go later to La Grange, Ill., fo a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Osborne formerly of Louisa. While here Miss Ramey made many Triends who regret

her departure. REV. HOLLISTER AT LOUISA. Presiding Elder A. A. Hollister reached at the M. E. Church South Tuesday night and held the quarterly onference afterward. He made a re port of the year's work in the Ashland district, showing considerable prog

Put a Sign at Buchanen

It is due the strangers coming up His Sandy by automobiles that they be warned to not try to travel along the fiver between Buchanan and Louisa. There is a section or two that is almost impassable and absolutely dangerous. No work has been done on this road since the Bhine bridge washed out a few years ago. A new bridge was built two years ago, but nothing has been done on the road. We have heard of persons being advised to come that route by persons who know noth-If some public spirited ing about it. and kindhearted persons at Buchanan and other points down there will put warning sign it may save loss of life, and at least great inconvenience to

TO BE HELD THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, SEPTEM-BER 27, 28, 29.

The dates of the Lawrence County Fair to be held at Louisa have been changed to September 27, 28 and 29, this being one week later than the dates originally decided upon. This is done because the Blaine people chose for their fair two days conflicting with the ones first selected. The Lawrence County Association officers say they have been hoping that the two fairs would be consolidated, but this war given up when a part of those interested in the other movement refused to do so. In order to avoid any conflict the change of date was made.

ed by the officials to participate in the

fair at Louisa. Poliowing is a list of the items or

Premiums are now being secured and will appear in next week's issue. Subscriptions are being received, and great biggest fair ever held in Lawrence-co. This list is to inform the people what they are expected to bring, that there may be a fair, for of course without cattle, sheep, hogs, horses, and the wo-man's department of canned goods, sewing etc. there can be no fair. Whose fair is it? The answer, Yours! Every individual of Lawrence-co. owes it to himself, as well as to his county, to he'p make and to make the fair.

From the names appearing on toe list as superintendents, if any are un-able to serve, please notify Mr. Queen, secretary, at once We hope, however, that there is not one who will not try to do his or her part, as each is well fitted for the place assigned him. Officers.

Jas. H. Woods, President; W. E. Queen, Secretary; R. L. Vinson, Treas-Board Of Directors.

Augustus Snyder, Dr T. D Burgess,

Departments And Superintendents. A. Horses, Mules and Ponies-Geo

vetnam, Wilbur. B. Cattle—Thaddeus Ransom.

C. Hogs-John Kane, D. Educational Work-J. H. Ekers Poultry-Harry Cain, Potter.

Sheep—Sam Bartram. Woman's Werk—

H. Girl's Canning Club-Pairles Vegetables And Fruits-Ladies committee will consist of six

women from different communities of the county, to be named later. CLASS A. Best girl rider under fif-

teen years. Best boy rider under fif-teen years. Best rider, boy or girl unov rider over 15 years. Best saddle horse

Best driving horse HORSES-Thoroughbred-Best stalllon, four years old and over Best stallion, three years old and un

Best mare, four years old and over. Best mare, three years old and un

COMMON BREED-Best stallion. Best mare. Best colt.

PONIES Best saddle pony, Best driving pony.

MULES-Best pair mules over two enre Best pair mule colts. Best mule over 2 years

Best mule colt raised by boy. CLASS B. CATTLE-Hereford are urham—Best bull, over 1 year. Best bull under 1 year.

Best heifer over I year. Best heifer under 1 year. Door bull calf under I year. Best helfer calf under 1 year. Rest milk cow, any breed. Best herd, 1 bull and 3 cows and

CLASS C. HOGS-Duroc Jersey and dand China. Best pair hogs, male and female o

Best pair pigs, 6 months old, of each Best male any age of each breed.

Best female, any age, of each breed Best herd, one male and four \$6 males.

sow and litter, any breed CLASS F. SHEEP-Best ram over year old. Best ewe over 1 year old. Rest ewe lamb, " Best ram lamb. CLASS I. FRUIT AND VEGE-

ABLE DEPARTMENT. Best plate apples. Best plate pears. Best plate tematoes.

pinte pawpaws. Best plate persimmons. Best display nots. Best collection beans, 3 varieties. Rest head cabbaire Best collection eucumbers.

Best collection cucumbers.
Best peck onions.
Best peck onion sets.
Best plate parenips.
Best gallon peas, any variety.
Best peck Irish potatoes.
East peck sweet potatoes.
Largest purspkin,
Largest watermelon.



JUDGE FRED A. VAUGHAN, OF PAINTSVILLE, KY.

Judge Vaughan has served one term as County Judge of Johnson county. He was renominated in the fate primary by a majority of 852. Evidently his people have been satisfied with his official record.

Best collection melons, cantaloupes and watermelon.

Largest gourds. Best plate poppers, any variety. Best peck turnips.

Grain And Seed. Best 10 ears white corn. Best single ear white corn.

Best 10 ears yellow corn. Best single ear yellow corn. peck wheat, Best bunch rye. Best bunch sweet clover. Best burch scy beans. Best bunch oats. Best bunch barley.

Best bunch clover. Best bunch crimson clover, Best bunch alfalfa. Pest bunch cow peas, Best bunch timothy. Best bunch herds grass. bunch orchard grass.

Best bunch bluegrass. Champion ear of corn any variety. Boy's Corn Display. Best 10 cars corn, any variety.

Best single ear corn, any variety Best display, 3 or more vegetables

CLASS E. POULTRY-Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island Red and White Best cock, of each breed. Best hen, of each breed. Best cockerel of each breed.

Best pullet of each breed. Breeding pen to consist of one male and four females of any breed. Best pair bantams, by boy or girl under fifteen years.

Best bantam hen, by boy or girl un-

der fifteen years. Best pair geese. Rest young goose Best pair turkeys. Best hen. Best pen, 3 or more.

CLASS G. WOWANS DEPART MENT-Watch for rules and prem lums.

Best and most practical home made device made by boy or girl under 12 wars of nge Best and most practical home made device made by any one over 15 years.

Most attractive booth or display or air grounds, in any department. Best loaf of bread Best loaf of salt rising bread. Best best cornbread.
Best loaf of nut bread.
Best loaf of brown bread. Hest dozen rolls. Best dozen besten biscuits.

Best plain white cake. Best chocolate cake. Best caramel cake. Best blackterry cake. Host marble cake. Best coconnut cake Rest angel food cake. Best sunshine cake Fiert dozen doughnuts. Best dozen cookles.

Best dozen out meal cookies. Best transparent ple Rest lemon ple. Best apple pie. Best custard pie. Best cream ple. Best chocolate pie. Best pumpkin pie. Best plate of fancy candy Best plate of chocolate fudge. Best plate of curmel fudge. Best plate of sea feam. Heaviest dozen of eggs. Rest cand of better (not Best pound of lard. Best quart of vinegar.

Best pound of potato chips Best pound of noney. Best quart of canned peaches.
Best quart of canned peaches.
Best quart of canned peaches. Best quart of canned apples. Best quart of canned blackbarries. Best quart of canned raspberries

Best quart of canned raspberries Best quart of canned cherries. Heat quart of canned plums. Rest quart of canned grapes. Best quart of canned genseberries. Best quart of anned strawberries quart of canned apricots.

Best blackberry jelly. Best currant jelly. Best apple jelly.
Best grape jelly.
Best gooseberry jelly.
Best plom jelly.

Best quince jelly. Best strawberry jelly. Best raspberry jelly. Best canned beans. Best canned beats. Best canned corn. Best canned tomatoes. Best canned okra. Best canned lima beans.

Best canned pumpkin. Best canned rhubarb. Best pickled cucumbers. Best pickled beets. Best pickled peppers. Best chowchow. Best pepper hash.

Best mixed pickies, in mustard. Best chillsauce. Best gherkins. Best sweet pickled peaches. Pest sweet pickled pears. Best sweet pickled watermelon.

Best tomatoes stuffed with peppers Best quart of peach preserves. Best quart of pear preserves. Best quart of strawberry preserves

Best quart of tomato preserves. Best quart of quince preserves. Best quart of apple preserves. Best quart of plum preserves. Best quart of watermelon preserves Best quart of raspberry preserves, Best jam and butter.

Best blackberry butter. Best raspberry butter. Best strawberry butter. Best apple butter. Rest peach butter. Best pear butter.

plum butter. Best plum butter (wild) Best quince butter. Best scrap quilt. Pest patch work quilt. ernzy quilt.

Best silk quilt. Best comforter (cotton) Rest comforter (woclen) blanket.

Best bedspread. Best coverlet Best piece of rag carpet. Best rag rug. Best crocheted rug.

Flowers

Best vase of roses. Best vase of dahlias. Best vase of chrysanthemums. Best begania plant. Best su'tana plant Best palm. Bost ferm Best harging basket Best collection of dahlias. Best collection of roses. . Best collection of cut flowers Best collection of potted plants. The word collection means that each

distinct color or variety must be exhib ited separately. Old Ladies Department. All articles must be the hand work of lacker past 62 years of age.

Best quilt.) Best pair of knitted gloves. Best pair of knitted slippers. Best pair of crocheted slippers Rest knitted lace. Best crocheted lace. Best pless of embroidery. Best knitted shawl. Rest embroidered pillow cases. Best crocheted edge pillow cases. Rest drawn work place cases. Best pair of drawn-work curtains. Best pair of crock to I edge curtains Best hand made List. Prettiest waist made from one yard

f material. Best lunch set Best hand embroidered night gown Best trocheted trimmed gown Best hand made decay for calld. Best made combination suit. Best made carset cover Best hand embroidered cover-Rest crocheted trimmed corset cover-Best embroider i towel.
Best crocheted rimmed towel
Fest drawn wark towel.
Best inited trimmed towel.

Best embroidered trimmed guest tow-Best erocheted trimmed vuest towel.

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TIN CANS FOR LAWRENCE COUNTY

BUSINESS MEN OF LOUISA PUR-CHASED LARGE SUPPLY TO SELL AT COST.

The supply of tin cans in the Unit-ed States is very far below the demand and the counties that have failed to provide them will not be able to get cans. Fortunately, Lawrence-co, has been taken care of, through the kindness and enterprise of a few Louisa business men co-operating with Miss Davis, the Home Demonstration Agent By arrangement with Dixon, Moore & Co., wholerale grocers, \$1300.00 worth of cans were bought, paid for and stored in their wavehouse several weeks ago. They are being sold at actual cost to the people of this county. It is parely a piece of public enterprise and patriotism on the part of these people to aid in preserving what is being grown this year. The bills are open to

The cost of cans is very high, but the canned goods are even higher in pro-portion. A few years ago the Louisa Canning company sold canned toma-Canning company soid canned toma-toes at 65c per dozen. They now bring \$1,50 per dozen. This gives the can-ner 78c for the costents of a dozen now, as against 39 cents when cans were cheap. So it is not good business to hesitate on account of the present price of cans. Preserve everything pos-sible The world needs it and you will

be handsomely repaid.

Those wanting cans should not delay getting them. The supply will probably not be sufficient for the local de-

DIED OF PLOOD POISONING. The body of Garfield Dotson, who died at a hospital in Huntington last Saturday was taken to McVeigh and conveyed to his home for burial on Johns creek. He cut his finger while working in a blocksmith shop, on a

LOUISA SCHOOL

piece of iron, and blood poisoning fol-

lowed.

The Louisa Graded School and Lou isa High School will begin the Pall Term on Monday, August 27, to continue till December 21. There will be ten or twelve to begin on the Senior in the High School. Normal College will open on the same-

Death of George W. Norris

George W. Norris died at his home in Fallsburg last Saturday night. He had been in poor health for some time and had almost given up nope of recovery, but he was not confined to his bed. Brights disease following a severe atbeights disease fellowing a severe at-tack of lagrippe is said to have been the trouble. Just before death/claimed him he complained of difficulty in breathing, and then passed away sud-

The funeral took place on Monday and was conducted by Reva R. F. Rice and H. B. Hewlett, of the M E. Church South The burial followed immediately the interment being made in the burial ground near Fallsburg

Mr. Norris was 69 years old. He was a prosperous merchant and a highly respected citizen. He is scrived by a wife who was a daughter of Mr. Vint Hutchison, He had no children, Sur-viving prothers are Choide and Frank Norris, of Huntington, and sisters are Mrs. Belle York, of Catleitsburg, and Mrs. Etla Crank of Williamros. Deceased had lived at Fallsburg for twenty years or more and had many friends all of whom will miss him greatly.